

BOARD EXAMINES MEDICOS

The West Virginia State Board of Health convened in the Waldo assembly room at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning for a three-days' meeting.

The board consists of ten members all prominent physicians from various parts of the state, and nine of them were present at Tuesday's sessions of the board. Dr. D. P. Morgan, of this city, president of the board, presided at the sessions, and Dr. H. A. Barbee, of Point Pleasant, secretary and executive officer, looked after the records and performed other official duties. The other members present are Dr. R. E. Vickers, of Huntington; Dr. John L. Dickey, of Wheeling; Dr. T. L. Barber, of Charleston; Dr. J. E. Robins, of Fairmont; Dr. A. R. Warden, of Grafton; Dr. M. H. Proudfoot, of Rowlesburg, and Mr. S. W. Varner, of Glenville. Dr. A. N. Frame, of Parkersburg, the absentee, will arrive tonight.

The object of the meeting in particular is to give examination to applicants for state certificates to practice medicine. The board in executive sessions Tuesday and Wednesday nights will also consider matters relating to health and sanitary and hygienic conditions in the state.

Thirty-five applicants registered and are taking the examination, among whom are several from Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia. They are as follows:

Jonthus Clyde Perkins, Moundsville.

John Thomas, Athens, Ohio.

Julius William Borarsky, Huntington.

Edward Duncan Hamrick, Ivydale.

Charles Bedford Boches, Boomer.

George Washington Kenney, Parkersburg.

Edward Herbert Thompson, Bluefield.

John C. McCoy, French Creek.

Okey Nelson Windle, Pond.

George V. Litchfield, Coopers.

George Price McCoy, Franklin.

Roy C. Arnis, Roane, Ohio.

Dibue C. Moyer, Charlottesville, Va.

Elijah S. Goff, Spencer.

Arley M. Jackson, Porter's Falls.

Henry L. Criss, Mannington.

C. C. Rasmussen, Confluence.

Frank Burden, Capon Bridge.

Samuel W. Umstat, Hagerstown, Md.

Thomas J. McBee, Elkins.

J. Plummer Cole, Wheeling.

Frederick W. Bone, Tunnitton.

Frd W. Selsby, Hite, Pa.

John E. McCreery, Bluefield.

Daniel J. Rudacill, Kingwood.

B. F. Matheny, Shinnston.

George F. Schug, Philadelphia, Pa.

Julius W. Hill, Meadowbrook.

Edwin E. Brophy, Pittsburg, Pa.

Edward G. Rappold, Paris, Pa.

S. W. Ridder, Ayers.

S. G. Lanes, Cumberland, Md.

N. W. Lawlas, Morristown, N. J.

The branches submitted to the applicants Tuesday were bacteriology, materia medica and therapeutics, chemistry and practice of medicine. The various applicants were provided with tables, materials and questions each and were busy as bees throughout the day writing down what they know about the branches given them—an intelligent looking crowd, they ought to pass without much, if any, difficulty.

The members of the board will be tendered a banquet at the Waldo Wednesday night by the Harrison County Medical Society, and it promises to be a very elaborate and brilliant affair. Among the banquet visitors will be Dr. S. S. Wade, of Morgantown, president of the West Virginia Medical Society.

The examination will be resumed tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock and two hours will be devoted to each branch taken up as was done today.

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PARTY GIVEN ON INDIAN RUN

One of the most elaborate affairs was the party given a night or so ago by Mr. and Mrs. A. Rice, at their home on Indian Run, near Bristol. Among those present were Misses Tensie and Edna Lawson, Lizzie Ward, Edna Hickman and Icie and Lola Jones, and Messrs. Croner Lowett, Chester Wilson, Louis Hartman, Charles Rawson, Ray Campbell, Gordon Brand, Thurman Rice, William Darling, and Mr. and Mrs. Campbell. The evening was a very enjoyable one to all the guests.

EMPIRE BANK STATEMENT

The Empire National Bank publishes its financial statement in this issue of the Telegram, pursuant to a call by the comptroller of the treasury at Washington. The statement shows the bank to be in a very gratifying condition. It discloses the fact that the Empire is taking on rapid growth all the time and becoming more and more a very strong institution, as well as a very popular one with the business men of this community. The deposits reach nearly a half million and its assets have gone beyond the million dollar mark. No financial institution need be ashamed of such a fine showing and there are but few banks that have risen to such eminence at the Empire in so short a time.

W. V. U. ELEVEN LOST

California Normal school Saturday defeated West Virginia University at Morgantown, in a one-sided game by the score of 17 to 0, the Varsity being crippled by the loss of three regular men, among them the quarter back, McDonald, whose place was taken by McCue, one of the substitutes. California Normal scored three touchdowns, and kicked two goals.

BOMB OUTRAGE IS PERPETRATED

By Associated Press. Constantinople, Nov. 14.—A bomb outrage was perpetrated today in the Pera quarters. The authorities will not permit particulars to be sent out at present.

M'GRAW WITH GIANTS

New York, Nov. 14.—John T. McGraw will manage the World's Champions next year and for two years following. This is the result of a conference held Friday with President Brush of the Giants. This sets at rest all hopes and rumors of changes. McGraw assures Matthewson's staying with the Giants, for he idolizes the manager. As to the rest of the team the same is true as far as their admiration is concerned but it is not mutual.

Overcome by Heat

Mr. Dayton, manager of the Waldo laundry, was overcome by heat Monday night while engaged at work in the basement of the hotel. His condition was almost identical to that caused by a sunstroke. Dr. J. B. Payne was hurriedly summoned and he revived Mr. Dayton in a short time. He was removed to his rooms and is resting comfortably at present and will be able to resume his duties in a few days.

Contractor Elliot

H. W. Elliot, of the contracting firm of Elliot & Winchell, was able to be out for the first time Tuesday afternoon after an illness of two weeks. Mr. Elliot was threatened with typhoid fever, but fortunately managed to escape its clutches.

Third Victim Dies

By Associated Press. Cincinnati, O., Nov. 14.—Frank Wulhurst, the third victim of the elevator accident at the Globe Tailoring Company place, died today.

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LAWSON IS TO BE ARRESTED

By Associated Press. Boston, Mass., Nov. 1.—Thomas W. Lawson is to be arrested on complaint of Charles W. Barson, for criminal libel, growing out of a magazine article written by Mr. Lawson. Mr. Barson is proprietor of the Bureau for Distribution of financial news.

ATHLETICS HELD UNDER DIFFICULTIES

Morgantown, W. Va., Nov. 14.—The authorities of the West Virginia University yesterday put the grass to sleep on the athletic field for the winter, by covering it with half a foot of manure. The football team, and others interested, protested, and appealed to the president of the university for an injunction to stop the proceeding. They declared it would ruin the athletic field for the rest of this year. But the work went on and the field was covered.

Monday night, about midnight, a force of students, with shovels, wheelbarrows, and one team, set to work in the rain and snow, and proceeding in silence they raked the field and cleaned it from center to circumference. This morning the authorities found their work all in vain, and the field is ready for more scrimmages.

WILL SELL FACTORY AT WILSONBURG

Auctioneer Benjamin Brown Stout went to sell the Brakeman & Estill lamp black factory between Adamston and Wilsonburg Tuesday afternoon for Andrew Lyon, constable for Harrison county. The entire equipment, including boilers, engines and other machinery is included in the sale.

As there was not sufficient bidding to warrant proceeding with the sale it was continued until next Tuesday, Nov. 21, at the same place and hour. Only \$60 had been bid when the sale was declared off for the day.

RELIGIOUS MEETING

A. Linkletter, state secretary of Mission Work for the Christian church, and W. M. Long, pastor of the Christian church at New Martinsville, will preach Thursday and Friday evenings, Nov. 16 and 17, at 7:30 o'clock at the court house. Also on Sunday at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to the services.

WILL ERECT A LARGE TIPPLE

Samuel Kiser, superintendent for the Federal Coal & Coke Company, will leave today for Gray's Flats, Marion county where he will erect a large coal tipple for that company. Accompanying Mr. Kiser are Messrs. George and Thayer Spring and James Paugh. These gentlemen will assist in the construction of the work. Mr. Kiser built the large tipple at the Pinnickinnick mines for the Fairmont Coal Co.

A Sweeping Challenge

The Stealey addition foot ball team hereby challenges all teams in or out of the city for a game of foot ball at any time or place. Teams must weigh from 88 to 111 pounds. For further particulars address Cecil Bell, 819 West Pike street.

Junior Leaguers

The Junior Epworth League of Goff Methodist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the lecture rooms of the church. The presence of all the children is desired.

Elks Meeting

The Clarksburg Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks hold their regular weekly meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at their lodge hall on Third street.

MRS. BAKER PASSES AWAY AT HER HOME

Mrs. Mary Ann Baker died at 4:15 o'clock Monday afternoon after an illness of several months duration at her home on the West Milford road near the city.

Mrs. Baker's age was 82 years last September. She was born in Pennsylvania, near Philadelphia, and had been a resident of Harrison county half a century or more. She was first married to Edmond K. Stealey, from which union four children were born, namely, J. I. S. Stealey, John E. Stealey and A. Lydia Stealey, and Alice Stealey, now deceased. Some time after the death of Mr. Stealey she married Isaac Baker, and two daughters were the result of this union—Icie, wife of Nathan Musgrave, and Ada, wife of Josiah W. Wilson, of Old Mexico. Her husband, Mr. Baker, died a number of years ago.

Mrs. Baker was a sister of John R. Steele, Mrs. Elizabeth Ridenour and Mrs. John Hursey, all of this city, and Mrs. Sarah Black, of Greene county, Pa.

The deceased was a consistent member of Goff Methodist church many years and was a most estimable and beloved woman.

The funeral will be held from the residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be at the Odd Fellows cemetery.

The pallbearers will be J. I. S. Stealey, John E. Stealey, A. L. Stealey, John R. Steel, W. E. Hursey and Daniel W. Boughner. Dr. S. K. Arbuthnot will officiate.

STORK WON WOMAN'S PARDON

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 14.—"No future citizen of this country shall be born in prison if I can prevent it," President Roosevelt is reported to have said, as he issued a pardon for Mrs. Bertha Gordon, convicted last May of forging a money order and serving a year's sentence in the Bridgwell here.

The woman is about to become a mother, and Senator Cullom laid the facts before the President, with a plea for clemency. The President immediately wired a pardon, and the woman went to the home of her father. He thus averts the fate that befell "Little Dorritt."

ENTERS ST. MARY'S TO LEARN NURSING

Miss Calla Davis, daughter of A. W. Davis, of the upper end of the county, entered St. Mary's hospital Tuesday morning to take a practical course in trained nursing. She has already taken a theoretical course by mail from Jamestown, N. Y.

ENGINEERS FIGURE ON PANAMA CANAL

Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—The question whether the Panama canal shall be a sea level or a lock canal probably will be decided within a very few days. All the members of the board of consulting engineers have returned to Washington and expect to meet every day this week until a final conclusion has been reached.

Wanted by Police

Chief of Police Howe is in receipt of a communication from the chief of police at Memphis, Tenn., asking information about one E. R. Stryker, who formerly sold baking powder, and made Clarksburg his headquarters. The party in question can not be located here at present, but the police seem to want him badly enough to justify a prediction that it will not be long before he is in the toils.

Dance at Elk Bridge

The regular semi-weekly public dance at the Glen Elk dancing hall occurred last night. The dance was well attended and proved quite enjoyable. Prof. Crow's orchestra played in their usual happy style. A feature of the musical program was the rendition of Welch's thirteenth symphony.

BOOZE SELLER JAILED

United States Deputy Marshal E. D. Hupp made an important arrest Tuesday morning at Erie, near Hepzibah, this county, and as the result Tony Petro, one of the worst violators of the internal revenue laws caught within several months is behind the bars at the county jail to await indictment and trial at Parkersburg January 9 next in federal court.

Petro is an Italian coal miner employed at the Erie mines, a few miles below the city, and, it is claimed, he has been engaged a year or more in the unlawful sale of intoxicants, his home being a veritable speakeasy and yet more open than the ordinary speakeasy.

The case was finally reported to the government authorities and the officer laid plans for his arrest. Going to Petro's home early Tuesday morning Deputy Hupp failed to find him. So, he asked Mrs. Petro for a drink of whiskey. She very obligingly told him they had sold all they had Sunday and was sorry she could not accommodate him. The marshal then ascertained the fact that Petro sold a whole wagon load of whiskey and beer at his home Sunday. The stuff was purchased here and hauled by him in the wagon to his home, where he dispensed it by wholesale on the Sabbath day.

Informed that Petro had gone to the mines to work the officer went thither and inquired of the mine boss. The latter went in after Petro, but he had made one shot and gone out of the mine on the other side toward home. The officer then hurried along in that direction and overtook him a mile west of the mines. He placed him under arrest without difficulty and brought him at once before United States Commissioner Thomas S. Spates, who examined C. J. Sams and John Walters as witnesses against the accused. Both testified they had bought whiskey of him. Petro himself refused to testify in his own behalf or to deny that he had been engaged in the business, and the commissioner explained to him that he could give bond or go to jail. He preferred the latter and his desire in that respect is being carried out to the letter.

SUPREME COURT AGAINST WOOD

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 14.—The State Supreme Court today decided against the seating of Clarence Wood to fill a vacancy in the Huntington council.

KETTLE VICTIM OF A CONSPIRACY

Sheriff Baker, of Monongalia county, took Perry Kettle from that county to Buckhannon, where he will stand trial. Kettle is charged with stealing some personal property. He lives back in Barbours county. He says he is entirely innocent of the crime charged and is the victim of a conspiracy.

DR. WADE ATTENDS CHURCH DEDICATION

Dr. T. S. Wade leaves tonight on No. 4 for New York city, to attend the national conference on church federation. He is one of fifty delegates at large from West Virginia. The conference will be in session from the fifteenth to the twenty-first of the month, inclusive.

Death of Mrs. Custer

Elizabeth Custer, aged 89 years, wife of Alexander Custer, deceased, died at her residence Tuesday, Nov. 14, at 6 a. m. of pneumonia. The funeral arrangements are not yet completed.

Bridge Burns

The burning of the Powhattan bridge on the Ohio River railroad at an early hour Tuesday morning delayed all trains on that road and connections between this city and Wheeling by way of New Martinsville were abandoned for the day.

LAWYER'S CHARTER IS COMPLETED

The Clarksburg Bar Association has completed its organization and a county charter has been granted. The only member besides those exclusively announced by the Daily Telegram more than a week ago is F. O. Sutton.

As previously stated the purposes of the association as stated in their charter are:

To maintain the honor and dignity of the profession of the law, to cultivate social relations among its members and increase its influence in promoting the due administration of justice and to establish and maintain a law library, and for the purpose of buying, holding, leasing, selling and conveying real estate to the value of one hundred thousand dollars and personal property to the same amount.

The members are John J. Davis, C. W. Gore, H. T. Houston, Osmar Swartz, J. W. Davis, C. B. Johnson, G. M. Hoffheimer, C. B. Sperry, E. Bryan Templeman, W. Scott, L. C. Crile, E. G. Smith, M. F. Snider, J. E. Law, H. F. Smith, W. Frank Stout, Elmer F. Goodwin, Haymond Maxwell, Will E. Morris, Philip P. Steptoe, H. W. Harmer, R. S. Douglass, C. G. Coffman, F. G. Viger, W. B. Moore, E. D. Lewis, R. G. Altizer, J. Lee Rhodes, Frank H. Rhodes, W. H. Poling, Haze Morgan, Toney Harrison, C. W. Moore, W. M. Conway and F. O. Sutton.

STATE HOME CAUSES INTEREST

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 14.—The Grand Lodge of West Virginia Odd Fellows met here today. There is a large attendance. Reports show the order in fine condition. The location of a proposed State home causes much interest.

The Grand Lodge of Royal Arch Masons also met here today.

CRUSHED TO DEATH BY FALL OF SLATE

John Latsmier, aged 22, a coal miner employed at the Two Lick mines, was crushed to death Monday at 12 o'clock noon by a fall of slate.

So heavy was the fall, the slate had to be blasted away before rescuers could reach his body.

The funeral took place Tuesday morning from the Catholic church the interment was made at the Holy Cross cemetery.

SECRETARY TAFT BACK FROM PANAMA

By Associated Press. Norfolk, Va., Nov. 14.—The United States cruiser Columbia, Commander J. M. Boyer, passed in the Capes of Virginia at 7 o'clock this morning, bearing home Secretary Taft and a party enroute from the Isthmus of Panama. Secretary Taft and party will proceed this evening by steamer to Washington.

BANK STATEMENTS ARE CALLED FOR

Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—The Comptroller of the Currency has made a call on National Banks for a statement of their condition at the close of business Thursday, Nov. 9, 1905.

Deaths Recorded

Mary V. Dawson to James A. Robinson, 1 lot, Shinnston.
John J. Denham to Marie Graff 1 lot, city.
Fay E. Smith to Board of Education of Clarksburg School District 1 lot, Sycamore street, city.
E. A. Duncan to S. H. Toothman 1 lot, Salem.
W. S. Harbert to Marion Byard 1 lot, Rinehart.

Morris Chosen Trustee

The first meeting of the creditors of W. M. Talbot, of Rockford, recently adjudicated a bankrupt, was held Tuesday in the law office of Referee W. Frank Stout, and Will E. Morris was chosen trustee with bond at \$4,000. Some evidence was heard in the case.

MINER ACCUSED OF RAPE

Ladi Gavaldo, a miner at Columbia coal mines, east of the city, was arrested late Monday evening by Constable E. H. Rogers and jailed on the serious charge of attempted rape. Later in the evening he was given a trial by Justice M. S. Riley.

The charge was preferred by Mrs. Jozefina Gonsoreck. She alleges that the attempt was made in September, while her husband was in the county jail.

The woman keeps a boarding house and Ladi was one of her boarders. She swore that he made five different attempts at rape upon her. Another witness testified that he saw Ladi throw the woman down on the bed and make the attempt. Other witnesses saw nothing that indicated such an attempt and said they were all in fun any way.

Ladi himself denied vehemently that he made or had any intention of making such an attempt.

Justice Riley decided it was only assault and battery and imposed a fine of \$20 and costs. He paid the amount and was released from custody.

ICE COMPANY PAYS DIVIDEND

The stockholders of the Clarksburg Ice & Storage Company re-elected its directors and officers at a meeting held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, except Dr. W. E. Stathers, who has moved away. The directorate now consists of W. W. Jamieson, W. H. Sherry, Charles M. Hart, T. T. Wallis, W. F. Nuzum, Charles B. Alexander and F. M. Staunton, of Charleston.

The officers-elect are W. W. Jamieson, president; William H. Sherry vice-president; Charles M. Hart, secretary and treasurer, and W. F. Nuzum, superintendent.

The company declared a six per cent. dividend and the financial reports showed the concern to be in a very flourishing condition.

NEW MANAGER

R. C. Lough, formerly located at Terra Alta in the wholesale grocery business, has succeeded R. N. Koblard as manager of the Armstrong, Crisp, Day & Co. wholesale grocery house here. Mr. Koblard holds an important position with the General Distributing Co. Mr. Lough like Mr. Koblard is experienced in the business.

WARRANT DISMISSED

George Sheldon, charged with assaulting George and Burt King, was given a hearing before the mayor Monday evening at 7 p. m. The case proved to be only a neighborly misunderstanding and his honor the mayor dismissed all parties, and told them to be good.

Novel Advertising

The manager of the opera house had his advertiser out on the street today distributing circulars announcing the coming of the "Fool House," Wednesday. He was costumed like a clown, and afforded much amusement for the small boys especially.

Death at Byron

Minnie, the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Weekley, died at their residence at Byron Monday at 10 a. m. of membranous croup. The funeral took place Tuesday at 12 o'clock noon, and burial was made at the Norman cemetery.

Water Haul Made

Deputy Sheriffs John Lang and John M. Knox made a water raid at Wolf Summit Monday night. They were after a speakeasy fellow with a capias pro fine, but failed to find him.

Marriage Licenses

The county clerk issued a marriage license Tuesday to Ira Lee Burdick, of Alfred, N. Y., and Miss Delma Martha Davis, daughter of M. W. Davis, of this county.